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USEUCOM FOR ECJ4-IDS
EMBASSY BONN FOR DAO AND ODC
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STATE PASS TO EUR/TMS, AMBASSADOR PARDEW

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TAGS: PREL, MARR, BK, HR, GM
SUBJECT: COUNTRY CLEARANCE REQUEST

REF: 20 SEPTEMBER 1996 FAX TO AMEMBASSY SARAJEVO POL/MIL
OFFICER FROM USEUCOM ECJ4-IDS, LTC. MCCORKINDALE

1. COUNTRY CLEARANCE IS REQUESTED FOR TRAVEL TO GERMANY
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OF FIVE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE BOSNIAN FEDERATION ARMED

FORCES FROM OCTOBER 29-NOVEMBER 2, 1996. THE BOSNIAN TEAM WILL VISIT THE ARMY STORAGE CENTERS AT GERMESHEIM AND KAISERLAUTEN, AT THE REQUEST OF U.S. ARMED FORCES EUROPE. THE TEAM WILL INSPECT THE CONDITION OF AN INVENTORY OF APPROXIMATELY 450 EXCESS U.S. ARMY MILITARIZED VEHICLES IN STORAGE AT THE TWO CENTERS. BASED ON THE RESULTS OF THIS INSPECTION, ALL OR PART OF THIS INVENTORY WILL BE ACQUIRED BY THE BOSNIAN FEDERATION. USEUCOM (200TH TAMMC) WILL ARRANGE FOR HOTEL RESERVATIONS AND LOCAL TRANSPORTATION (INCLUDING AIRPORT PICK-UP AND DEPARTURE), AND WILL ESCORT THE TEAM BETWEEN THE TWO VISUAL INSPECTION SITES.

2. THE BOSNIAN TEAM CONSISTS OF THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS:

- MEHDIJA BAHTIJAREVIC, BOSNIAN PASSPORT [REDACTED]
- SUAD SULJAK, BOSNIAN PASSPORT [REDACTED]
- STJEPAN (IVAN) BAGO, PASSPORT [REDACTED]
- STEPHEN STOVALL, U.S. PASSPORT [REDACTED]
- ARTHUR MCCORMICK, U.S. PASSPORT [REDACTED]

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NOTE: STOVALL AND MCCORMICK ARE RETIRED U.S. ARMY OFFICERS, WORKING FOR THE MPRI CORPORATION UNDER CONTRACT TO THE FEDERATION ARMED FORCES, AS PART OF THE U.S.-MANAGED TRAIN AND EQUIP PROGRAM FOR BOSNIA.

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